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TO THE FAIR

Come and make Wheeling's Big Store your headquarters. Not fixed up as nicely as we will be a little later. We especially ask you to look through this great collection of French, German, English and American Dress Goods. We feel confident in saying no store in any city five times the size of this is showing a larger or more complete stock.

SPECIAL INDUCEMENTS

DURING FAIR WEEK.

5,000 yards 40-inch wide Suitings in Nobby Boucle effects, styles similar to imported goods, costing several times this special price **39c**

3,500 yards strictly All-Wool Imported Dress Suitings in Check, Plain and Striped Rough Effects. Regular 75c value, Fair Week price **50c**

A thousand pieces of 45 to 54-inch Tailor Made Suitings, rough effects; in fact, representative styles of the leading foreign and American manufacturers.

Visitors are welcome to come and inspect this great line of Dress Goods, whether you wish to buy now or later.

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DRESS GOODS—GEO. M. SNOOK & CO.

EXTRAORDINARY VALUES!

MORE ROUGH WEAVE AMERICAN

Dress Goods

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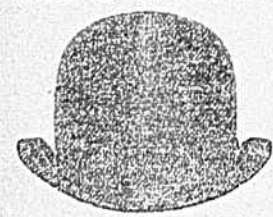
39c, 50c and 59c Yard.

Solid cases of each, carefully selected, counterparts of the French goods that sell from 75c to \$1.50 yard. Beautiful assortments. These are unquestionably the most wonderful Dress Goods values ever exhibited in any city. A grand assortment of finer Dress Goods up to \$4.00 yard. See display of some of our new SILKS in Main street window. Wait for the NEWER ideas in JACKETS and CAPES. They will be here in a few days.

Geo. M. Snook & Co.

HATS—M'FADDEN'S.

The Correct Fall Shape.



We show here a cut of the latest correct shape for the season. A decidedly pretty hat, nothing extreme about it, but admirably proportioned. And for quality they are unsurpassed. We want you to see it. Every hat guaranteed. Colors black and brown.

Prices \$1.90, \$2.50.

M'FADDEN'S HAT AND SHIRT STORE, 1320 and 1322 Market Street.

SHOES—J. H. LOCKE SHOE COMPANY.

HIGH GRADE SHOES

AT SHODDY PRICES.

This seems a poor way to say it, but when you compare our Ladies' and Gentlemen's fine shoes, that we are selling for \$2.00 with the so-called HIGH GRADE shoes at HIGH PRICES you will find all the STYLE, FIT, COMFORT and WEAR, and the only difference you can see or will ever know is that you have a first-class shoe for as low price as you generally pay for a shoddy one.

J. H. LOCKE SHOE CO.



If your eyes need attention they need it at once. Delays are dangerous, and may easily result in irreparable mischief. Keep your eyes strong and your sight clear by the use of spectacles, which SAVE the NERVES and prevent HEADACHE, burning and watering of the eyes, blurring of sight, etc. We test all defects of sight, including ASTHMA, and can tell you we can help you. No charge is made if advice is given you as to whether glasses will benefit or not.

Satisfaction is guaranteed in every case.

PROF. L. LEVITT, Manager.

Dillon, Wheat & Hancher Co.

The Intelligencer

Office Nos. 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street.

New Advertisements.

Extraordinary Values—Geo. M. Snook & Co.—Eighteenth Page.

Self-Geo. E. Ruffel & Co.—Third Page.

Wanted—A Good Home for Boy Baby. For Sale—Recalling, Suitings and House. Instruction in Music—Prof. Hermann M. Schockey.

Absolutely Pure Spices—Huebel's Grocery House.

Apple Butter Sauce—H. F. Behrens.

Williams Typewriter—Copp & Devora.

Bryan and McKinley Cane—Goetze's Drug Store.

Grand Opera House—First—Second Page.

LINSLEY INSTITUTE.

Wheeling, W. Va. A school for the thorough teaching of boys and young men. English, Classical and Military. Fall term begins Monday, September 14, 1896. For further particulars address JOHN M. BIRCH, Ph. D., Principal.

FALL STYLES—POPULAR PRICES.

Call and examine our large and handsome line of Foreign and Domestic Woolens for overcoating, suitings and house linings at popular prices. We handle exclusive novelties, to be found nowhere else.

The stylish cut and superior finish of our garments recommend themselves. Fine Furnishings a specialty. Agents for Jacon's Hygiene Underwear, Eighty-nine cents a pair, Extra Large and Heavy Neckwear, and the famous Hitzler all wool Knit Jacket.

Just received 500 dozen more of our celebrated double sole Zacc Venti Half Hose at 25c a pair.

C. HESS & SONS, Fashionable Tailors and Fine Furnishers, 1321-1323 Market Street.



Jeweler and Optician, Market and Twelfth streets.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Matters of Minor Moment in and About the City.

State fair races this afternoon.

Opera House to-night—Day, the hypnotist.

Waldman Specialty Company—Grand Opera House this evening.

The police docket included the names of ten disorderly, drunks and vagrants last night.

"The Last Days of Pompeii"—At Schenckbach park, Island, to-night. Last performance.

T. S. Cieswell, who resides east of Wheeling, brought some fine strawberries in yesterday. They are a "second" crop.

Prof. H. M. Schockey announces that he will resume his classes in music on next Monday, September 14, when pupils are requested to call at his studio.

A meeting of the general committee on a new city charter was to have been held last night, but on account of inability to secure a quorum, no meeting was held.

Messrs. Charles Burt and Charles Hazlett, of Washington, Pa., came among the state fair visitors. Mr. Burt is a former Wheeling boy, but is now located in the Pennsylvania city.

"South York Street" who requests the Intelligencer to tell him why the electric light on South York street near Ohio is not lighted this week, can obtain the information from the gas works superintendent, probably.

The Belmont county (Ohio) Democratic convention will be held in St. Clairsville to-day. Marshal William Burns of Martin's Ferry, is in the field and has announced himself as a candidate for the nomination for sheriff.

Cars No. 35 on the Martin's Ferry line and No. 25 on the Bellairs and Martin's Ferry railway, collided at the Acetna Standard coal bank yesterday morning and both were somewhat damaged. The passengers on both cars were considerably frightened, but none of them was hurt.

William Murphy, of Mannington, was nearly the victim of an accident late last night. He was sleeping on the Baltimore & Ohio tracks near the passenger station on the South Side when he was found by Officer Och and taken to the city building. Five minutes after the officer had rescued the man from his dangerous position, a train passed over the track where he had been sleeping.

DAMAGING EVIDENCE

Produced by the Police that will Convict McConville.

Yesterday morning, Lieutenant Dan Ingram, of the city police force, went to Steubenville for the purpose of looking up the effects of J. W. McConville, the man he had arrested there the day before for being implicated in the robbery of the Killees, List, Helmer and other homes in this city, recently. At the foundry where McConville worked the lieutenant was successful in his mission, securing two telephones that were filled mainly with articles that had been stolen from the houses named. The articles were brought to Wheeling in the afternoon and examined by Chief Bennett and members of the families named. The result is that a web of incriminating evidence is forged about McConville. In one telephone was found a dress suit that was identified as having been taken from the Killees home. Other articles were identified by members of the Helmer family as having been their property. McConville was committed by Justice Phillips yesterday for a hearing on next Thursday, September 17.

Lieutenant Ingram had a narrow escape on his way to Steubenville yesterday morning. He attempted to board a train for Steubenville at Wheeling Junction and missed his footing and was thrown violently to the ground. He has a hole in his forehead as a souvenir of his mishap.

Washburn Guitars and Mandolins at Cut Prices.

The manufacturers of Washburn Guitars and Mandolins will change their styles October 1. They have given us permission to cut prices on our present stock. This applies to present stock only, as these instruments are sold under contract at uniform prices everywhere. This is the first time prices have ever been cut. Now is the time to buy them.

F. W. BAUMER CO., 1310 Market Street.

CASTORIA.

The fastidious signature of Chas. H. Fletcher is on every wrapper.

A GREAT MEETING

That is what the Thurston Mass Meeting Promises to be.

THE STREET DEMONSTRATION

Will be the Largest of the Campaign Up to Date—Clobs from all Over the City and Some From Surrounding Towns Preparing to Take Part—Elkins Cadets and Tariff Champions will Make a Fine Showing—Other Political News.

To-night one of the best meetings of the campaign in the Pan-Handle will be addressed by the brilliant Nebraska senator, Hon. John M. Thurston, of Omaha. Every indication points to the assembling of an immense crowd at the corner of Thirty-first and Jacob streets, South Side, where the speaking is billed to take place. The stand has been placed near the LaBelle pottery building, and around it is room for a crowd of many thousand persons.

The eminent speaker, who has been engaged in a vigorous campaign in Vermont, New York and other eastern states, will arrive in Wheeling this morning at 8 o'clock and will be a guest at the McClure, where he will be met by prominent local leaders of the party.

The street demonstration that will precede the meeting is sure to be one of the largest of the campaign. All of the numerous Republican marching clubs of the city are preparing to turn out on this occasion, including the two crack uniformed clubs, the Elkins Cadets and the Tariff Champions, the uniforms of the latter arriving to-day. These clubs will have the right of line, and others will be assigned positions by Chief Marshal Hagaley and staff as they arrive at the corner of Twelfth and Chapline streets, where the line will be formed promptly at 7:15 o'clock.

The speaker will be escorted from the McClure house over the line of march given in yesterday's Intelligencer to the place of the meeting on the South Side. Many residents along the line of march have already announced their intention to decorate and illuminate their homes. Others are requested to follow suit.

The ability of Senator Thurston as a speaker is recognized alike by political friend and foe, and with fair weather it is certain that he will face an immense audience this evening. Every Republican in the city should be present.

The county committee has engaged the Pythian Castle at the corner of Twenty-seventh and Chapline streets for use should the weather be unfavorable.

IN THE POLITICAL REALM.

Doings of the Local Clubs—Arranging for To-night's Meeting.

The first meeting of the Tin Shirt Republican club will be held next Monday evening at Remel's hall, South Main street. This club will be a novel organization. Its uniform will consist of a tin shirt front, tin collars and tin cuffs.

The McMechen Republican club was organized last night at that place with an enrollment of 50 members. But for the short notice for the meeting, the enrollment would have been much larger. At the meeting next Wednesday evening it is expected that 200 additional members will be enrolled. J. C. King was elected president; G. W. Foster, secretary, and D. Keller, treasurer. Addresses were made by A. L. Hooten, of Moundsville, and by D. Evans. Both received enthusiastic receptions.

A meeting of the Elkins Cadets was held at Odd Fellows' hall last night. The matter of a trip to Canton to visit Major McKinley was placed in the hands of a committee composed of Dr. L. N. Reeser, F. C. Williams and Walter Higgins. Another meeting, when this will come up, will be held next Monday evening. This evening the Cadets will assemble at the corner of Twelfth and Chapline streets at 7 o'clock to take part in the street demonstration which will precede the Thurston meeting. Last night they took in eight new members, placing their membership very near to the 100 mark.

The Frederick Douglass club, which has recently obtained quarters in the old court house, corner of Twelfth and Chapline streets, will meet at 7 o'clock sharp to take part in the parade and reception to Senator Thurston this evening. The members of the organization are earnestly requested to be present on this occasion, as it will be the first turnout of the club. Don't forget the place of rendezvous—corner of Twelfth and Chapline.

All Island Republicans are requested to meet at the Logan club room (old chapel) on South Broadway on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock for the purpose of participating in the Logan escort.

The Tariff Champions met last night and perfected arrangements for to-night's demonstration in honor of Hon. John M. Thurston. The uniforms will not arrive until noon, when they can be procured at the Hub Clothing House. One hundred uniforms were ordered and all those wanting them should call early. The club will form at 7 o'clock p. m. sharp, at the city building. A full turnout is requested, whether uniformed or not.

The Eighth ward Republican clubs will meet promptly at 7 o'clock to-night at their respective headquarters and at 7:15 sharp the Atkinson club will march to the Dovenor club rooms and the two will proceed up town. The Sixth ward club will be waiting at the headquarters, corner Twenty-seventh and Chapline streets, for the Eighth warders to come up, and will fall in behind them. The Fifth ward Republicans will meet at the corner of Twenty-second and Chapline streets at 7:15 and fall in with the rest of the South Side delegation. By this arrangement, the four clubs from that end of town will come up together and will arrive at the forming place at the same time, thus causing no delay in starting the escort.

Those Republicans who "do not belong to any organization" and desire to turn out with the silk and brigade, are requested to meet promptly at 7:15 o'clock at the Odd Fellows' hall.

ONE to five applications of Doan's Ointment will cure the worst case of Itching Piles ever was. Can you afford to suffer tortures when a simple, never-failing remedy is at hand? It never fails.

THE King of Pills is Beecham's—BEECHAM'S.

MANY a day's work is lost by sick headache, caused by indigestion and stomach troubles. DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the most effectual pill for overcoming such difficulties. Charles L. Goetz, corner Twelfth and Market streets; Bowie & Co., Bridgeport; Peabody & Son, Benwood.

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THE NEW WAY....

It is not necessary to buy \$5.00 eye drops but in a week in order to have them examined for glasses, by the latest scientific method Prof. Shaff, the Optician, will by looking in the eyes correctly fit them with glasses. No drugs. No blinding. No waiting for hours looking at charts. Consultation and examination free at 1110 street.

THE HUB CLOTHIERS AND FURNISHERS.

YOU CAN'T ENTHUSE

VERY MUCH

Over Heavy Weight Clothes

Such Weather as This,

But we are selling almost as many as if the weather was seasonable. If you would see the garments you'd know the reason. It is the largest assortment of the richest fabrics, choicest patterns, newest styles and truly artistic garments ever offered for sale anywhere. When you get ready for your Fall Clothes, you'll find us prepared to properly serve you with a finer and better stock than ever before. We'd go out of business if we could not show an improvement each season over the previous one. This season's improvement is the biggest yet. Improved style, improved fabrics, improved qualities, improved fit and improved prices—LOWER ONES—all combined make our present stock of Clothing, Hats and Furnishings the best in every particular ever offered the Wheeling public. Merit always wins, and no matter what others may claim, YOU KNOW WHO in Wheeling has always sold the most meritorious garments. You'll still find here the best of everything at the lowest prices quoted anywhere for like qualities.

BALANCE OF SUMMER GOODS AT PRICES THAT'LL PAY YOU TO BUY FOR NEXT SEASON.

\$500 in gold and silver given away. See the \$500 in silver displayed in our window. See it.

Get a key. Absolutely free. \$500 in silver given away to the lucky holder.

See our north window. It will do you good to look at the 500 new, crisp, silver dollars direct from the mint. You may be the owner of some of them.

Boys' School Suits that wear. Boys' School Suits with double seat and knee, patent waist bands, sewed with linen thread, and wear like steel.

Hundreds of pairs of those celebrated Mrs. Hopkins' Knee Pants, just the thing to buy for school wear for that boy of yours.

Visitors to the West Virginia State Fair are urged to make this store their headquarters while in the city. A perfect welcome to every one.

See West Virginia's great State Fair and Wheeling's Greatest Clothiers and make yourself at home at THE HUB.

THE HUB Clothiers, Hatters

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Market and Fourteenth Sts.

The Largest and Only Strictly One-Price House in the State.

FALL GOODS—BAER'S CLOTHING HOUSE.

Fall Goods

Are now placed on our counters. We want to emphasize the fact that we have a stock from which the whole city of Wheeling could be supplied; that whatever you get here is right; that we don't want your money unless we have your good will along with it, and that our store must be the PEOPLE'S STORE. Our \$7.50 Suits will far excel your expectations. All Wool Black and Blue Cheviots, made to wear well, to hold the shape and give \$10 worth of satisfaction. Our \$10.00, \$12.00 and \$15.00 Suits we cannot praise too highly. They come in all the latest fashionable shades, and are tailored

Equal to Custom Made.

BAER'S ...DAYLIGHT... CLOTHING HOUSE,

30 TWELFTH STREET.

CARPETS ETC.—WHITE, HANDLEY & FOSTER.

Shake Your Old Carpets

And come and look at our handsome stock in all the new designs and prices, and you will have no difficulty in selecting a new one. A worn and soiled carpet is an unsightly thing when your taste leads you to make your home cosy and attractive.

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